should be more sensitive to that than the honourable members of this House.

MR. PADIYARA JOSEPH KUNJU (*Changanacherry* cum *Peermade*): പ്രാപ്തനായ ഒരു ഡിപ്പാർട്ടുമെന്റു മേലദ്ധ്യക്ഷന്റെ അഭാവം നിമിത്തം ഈ ഡിപ്പാർട്ടുമെന്റിനു കിട്ടേണ്ട ആദായം മുഴുവനും കിട്ടുന്നില്ലെന്നുള്ള വിവരം അറിയാമോ?

MR. S. SUNDARARAJAN: There is no such impression

Applications under Act 1 of 1114.

339. *MR. A. K. KUMARAN VAIDYAN (*Kunnatnad* cum *Parur*): Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement of the names of persons who have applied to the Government for removal of disqualifications arising out of conviction under Act 1 of 1114?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR: The Statement is laid on the table.

Detention under the Defence of Travancore Act.

340. *MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR (*Tovala* cum *Agastisvaram*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of persons detained under the Defence of Travancore Act during the period from the month of Tai 1115 to 15th Vykasi 1115;

(*b*) whether any of those persons is detained in the police lock-up;

(*c*) the number of those persons who are detained in the civil jail; and

(*d*) the number and the names of those detained in the Central Jail?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR: (*a*) 8.

(*b*) 6.

(*c*) Nil.

(*d*) Mr. R. Parameswaran Pillai.

Detention under the Defence of Travancore Act.

341. *MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of persons detained, under the Defence of Travancore Act, from the declaration of the present European War to May 31, 1940; and

(*b*) the amount allowed to each person for

i. daily food,

ii. clothing,

iii. other necessaries?

*Vide appendix I.

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MR. KANNANTHODATH JANARDANAN NAIR: May I know how long the author of that book stayed in Travancore to understand the actual situation?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR: I do not know.

MR. M. SIVATHANU PILLAI: Sir, irrespective of the period of his stay here, may I know whether the facts stated in the book are true?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR: Yes.

MR. KANNANTHODATH JANARDANAN NAIR: In view of the fact that he is an outsider, who came for a short tour in Travancore, may I know how he can instruct Travancoreans as regards the truth about Travancore?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR: It is his own business.

MR. S. CHATTANATHA KARAYALAR: May I ask whether he is a Travancorean or not?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR: No.

MR. M. R. NARAYANA PILLAI: May I know whether the honourable Chief Secretary has read the book

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR: Yes, I have.

Appendix I.

Vide **Answer to Question No. 339.**

Names of persons who have applied to the Government for removal of disqualifications arising out of conviction under Act I of 1114.

1. Mr. K. Kesavan, B. A., B. L., Kettumgasseril House, Quilon.
2. ,, M. R. Madhava Warrier, B. A., LL. B., Chengannur.
3. ,, V. K. Velayudhan.
4. ,, M. K. Nilakantan, Adoor.
5. ,, T. M. Chennan, B. A., B. L., Vakil, Vaikom.
6. ,, P. K. Kumaran, M. A., B. L., Parur.
7. ,, Ketamangalam Pappukutty, Vakil, Parur.
8. ,, K. M. Bhoothalingam Pillai, B. A., B. L., Nagercoil.
9. ,, V. Madhavan, Changanacherry.

Appendix II.

Vide **Answer to Question No. 343.**

Statement by caste of officers drawing Rs. 50 and above in the Education Department.

Brahmins	...	250
Nairs	...	140
Kammala	...	1
Nadar	...	2
Ezhava	...	16
Other Hindu	...	31
Muslim	...	5
Christians—Jacobite	...	31
Marthomite	...	62
Syriac Catholic	...	7
Latin Catholic	...	9
S. I. U. C.	...	5
Other Christians	...	1

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